

Biomag2018: Call for Proposals

In accordance with the policy of the International Advisory Board (IAB) of the Biomag conferences, this is a call for proposals to host the Biomag2018 conference. The Biomag2016 conference will be held in Seoul, S. Korea as approved at the Biomag2012 in Paris. The host of the Biomag2018 conference will be approved in Halifax N.S. at the Biomag2014 Business Meeting.

The IAB will receive proposals **from researchers in the field of biomagnetism, not congress agencies** for Biomag2018 till August 1, 2014. The IAB will consider these proposals at the Biomag2014 IAB meeting in Halifax and make recommendations for presentations of all eligible proposals at the Biomag2014 Business Meeting, where a decision regarding the host of the Biomag2018 will be made.

Proposals should include:

1. Name and contact information of the Biomag2018 Chair and a preliminary list of the Local Organizing Committee (LOC)
2. Motivation for organizing Biomag2018
3. Experience of the Chair and/or members the LOC in organizing scientific meetings
4. Venue choices and information on conference center(s)
5. Proposed dates of the Biomag2018 and why these dates are optimal
6. Funding resources and estimated institutional support
7. Hotel accommodation options, price ranges, distance to the conference venue
8. International travel arrangements to the venue and local travel from hotels
9. Estimated costs to attendees (registration fees and accommodation expenses)
10. Other matters that may be relevant

Proposals for Biomag2018 should be sent till August 1, 2014 in pdf format to: Olivier Bertrand, Chair IAB (2012-2014), olivier.bertrand@inserm.fr, and Ryan D'Arcy, Chair IAB (2014-2016), rdarcy@sfu.ca.